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GREECE JOINS WITH ALLIES

Greece has at last decided to enter the war and will fight against the Bulgarians.

It is reported that King Constantine will personally lead his men at the front.

The French take Rancourt and part of Fregicourt, which is a short distance northeast of Combles.

SOLDIERS' DANCE

There will be a dance in the Town Hall on Friday, tonight, at 8 p.m. for the soldiers in this district. The ladies are asked to bring cake, the committee furnishing the coffee and sandwiches. Soldiers free, others 50 cents. Any balance over the actual expenses will go towards buying tobacco, etc for the soldiers. Everybody welcome.

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Wheat—No. 3 Northern	1.32
Flax	1.74
Oats No. 2 C. W.	1.40
Barley	1.02

ALLIES TAKE COMBLES AND THIEPVAL

3,700 PRISONERS ALSO CAPTURED

The British have captured the town Thiepval and Gueudecourt and have pushed their lines beyond the Zollern redoubt.

Combles, the pivot point in the German lines guarding Peronne and Bapaume, has been captured by the combined allied troops. The German losses are reported to be very heavy, and 3,700 of the Huns were taken prisoners in two days.

WAR NOTES

The British have taken the towns of Lesbouefs and Morval and driven a big wedge into the German lines. Morval is just a mile from Combles.

The Russians are attempting to break down the Hun counter attacks and pierce their lines before the winter sets in.

FRANK WHITESIDE SHOT

WAS WOUNDED IN A QUARREL AT CORONATION

Sergt Frank Whiteside, member for Coronation district in the provincial legislature, was shot, and seriously injured, by Tom Helmbolt, on Sunday.

The two men had quarreled, in Helmbolt's office, and Whiteside was wounded in each arm, by the discharge of the shotgun. Helmbolt has been placed under arrest.

The cause of the quarrel is not known as neither men have made any statements.

They are both members of the 187th Battalion.

Dr. Brookman states that it may be necessary to amputate Whitesides' left arm.

Helmbolt will get his preliminary hearing today, in Coronation.

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PASTOR

Service will be held on Sunday October the 8th in the Butte Church at 11 a. m.

Sunday Services

Horse Shoe 11 a.m.

Creek Valley 3 p. m.

Monitor 7.30 p. m.

Monitor Sunday School. 12 a.m.

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LADY URSULA'S HUSBAND

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(Continued)

There was a movement of surprise. Everybody craned forward to watch Paul, as he raised his voice and went on with increasing emphasis:

"I believe this so-called theft is not a theft at all; I believe it is a practical joke of a particularly weak and silly kind, that has been played on Mrs. Finchden. Of course, I may be wrong. But I've thought it all over, and I can't think of any other way of accounting for what has happened. A thief wouldn't have taken part of the pearls, would he? He would have taken all. And no thief goes about—at least I should think it hard to believe that he did—armed with rows and rows of mock pearls to leave in the place of real ones."

There was already a movement of relief among his listeners. Any way out of the horrible difficulty was to be welcomed, and Paul heard murmurs of approval and acquiescence on all sides.

He went on:

"Well, then, Mr. Jackson, what I suggest is that you should give us all one week in which to find out who did this, who played this exceedingly bad joke. And depend upon it, if we all play detective together, before the week's out we shall have shamed the idiot who did this into confession—and restitution."

When he stopped there was an outburst. Everybody spoke at once, everybody jumped at the plan. Whether Mr. Jackson thought it of value or not, he presently agreed to try it; he would take no steps until a week had passed, leaving himself free to do what he pleased at the end of that time, if Paul's plan proved unsuccessful.

The party dispersed in a state of high excitement, some still smarting under a sense of the insult put upon them by their host's speech, some of the ladies inclined to be hysterical, and some of the men resolved to leave the house that very day.

Calmer counsels, or curiosity, or the wish to stay where they were very comfortable, prevailed, however, and in the end everyone resolved to see it out.

Lady Ursula was overjoyed at her husband's action in the matter, and when he followed her upstairs, where she had gone to put on her hat and cloak for a walk to the nearest village, she threw her arms round his neck and kissed him joyfully.

"Oh, Paul," she whispered, "that was a splendid thought of yours! Splendid! It just relieved the tension and made us all feel more at ease. But do you really think it was a practical joke?"

"I'm sure I don't know. It flashed into my mind that it might be, with so many idle young fellows hanging about all day, with nothing better to do than amuse themselves."

"But it would be such a shocking breach of hospitality!" objected she. "My dear, in houses of this sort that idea gets overlooked altogether. Half these people think they're doing the Jacksons a favor by staying with them."

He was touched by her delight in his achievement, and it was with unusual alacrity that he agreed to accompany her on her walk.

"It will be like old times, before we were married, Paul," she said, smiling; "when you used to carry my basket for me to my old people at Wintersand."

Downstairs there was manifest a great inclination to split up into small groups of two and three to discuss what had taken place at luncheon.

Hugo found himself, as he often did, in close proximity to Lady Emmeline, who had not yet got over the shock of the affair. She was inclined to be tearful, and she was very cold to Hugo, whom she looked upon, indeed, as in some way involved in the affront put upon all the guests.

For Mr. Jackson was usually very much under the influence of his guests.

Perhaps Hugo felt this, for he was very humble as he followed Lady Emmeline into the winter garden and meekly asked her if she would have a game of billiards.

"No, thank you," she said haughtily.

"Well, don't tread on me," objected Hugo, petulantly. "To ask a girl to play billiards isn't a penal offence."

"No, it's not your father's guests who are accused of crimes," retorted she, with flashing eyes.

He drew himself up.

"Well, he was quite open and frank about it, anyway," said he, resenting her tone.

She was amazed. She had expected him to be abjectly apologetic.

"Do you look upon us all as thieves?" she demanded haughtily.

He was growing more at ease. Now, at any rate, she appeared to be ready to converse, and when you can talk to a girl you always have the chance of holding your own. It is only when she "snaps your head off" and then leaves you that you have no chance with her.

"I don't think even my father thought his guests were all thieves," he said cheerfully.

"Do you seriously suggest that it was tactful of him to address us as he did?"

"I don't know. I shouldn't have had the pluck myself to do it."

Lady Emmeline was speechless.

"What would you have suggested?" he asked cheerfully.

She hesitated.

"I only know," she said quietly, with some dignity, "what would have happened at home, at Wintersand, if any of this thing could possibly have occurred there."

Hugo looked annoyed.

"That's not very tactful of you," he protested, "to let me see so plainly the grief which you think exists between Lord Gravenhurst's household and ours."

Lady Emmeline blushed and apologized.

"I'm afraid it was not very nice of me to say that," she said, more modestly.

"But you may tell me what the earl would have done."

"He would never have allowed a word to be said about it by anyone," said she, "and he would have replaced the pearls himself."

"Well, yes, that's a regal way of doing things, I admit. And we could expect to reach such a lofty level of conduct. Even Lord Gravenhurst would, I fancy, have found it difficult to replace such pearls as my sister's."

"He would have done his best," said Lady Emmeline.

"Anyhow, the case would not have arisen at Wintersand," she said.

Hugo, "I'm sure the earl is less lax as to his guests than we are here."

A deep blush came over the girl's face at these words. She was in her brother's confidence as to the stories he had heard from Redding about Paul Payne, and although she did not know that he suspected Paul of a hand in the theft of the pearls, she herself had naturally shared the vague suspicions of her brother and sister on that point.

Hugo looked at her curiously, as he watched the rush of bright color to her cheeks.

"Didn't mean that—I ought not to have spoken like that," said Emmeline quickly.

"And I ought not to have been so ready to feel offended at what you said," cried Hugo, determined not to be outdone in apologies. "After all, we ought to be satisfied that your sister found her husband among us."

Lady Emmeline's face changed.

"Yes," said she.

"And they're happy, aren't they?" she grew restless.

"Yes, yes, of course they are."

"Why, of course? That reminds me, you promised to give me father's opinions on the subject of marriage. Do you remember? You wanted me to be converted to your views, and you said you were going to look for some arguments."

"Did I say that?"

"Well, something like that. I am very anxious to hear what you have to say about it, really."

"Then I'm afraid you'll be disappointed. I have nothing to say."

She moved towards the door of the winter garden. Hugo followed her quickly.

"Do have that game of billiards," he urged in a coaxing tone.

Lady Emmeline hesitated. She had an uncomfortable feeling that something would come of these constant talks, these games of billiards, that she would have to say something that Hugo would like to hear.

For Lord Gravenhurst would certainly never allow a second marriage in his family to be arranged at Ore Court.

"If you don't come now I'll never ask you again," said Hugo, with sudden fire.

And before she realised that she was making a confession of weakness Lady Emmeline was going with him towards the billiard-room.

(To Be Continued.)

Dairy Shorthorns

Remarkable Results Are Being Secured in Alberta

Dairying forms a prominent feature in the work carried on in connection with the demonstration farms and schools, conducted by the Department of Agriculture in the Province of Alberta. As part of this work demonstrations have been given to the capacity of the double-purpose Shorthorn as a milk producer. The records made in the Alberta Provincial farm have not quite equalled the best made at the Ontario Agricultural College, where one dairy Shorthorn gave 12,401 pounds of milk in one year. What has been accomplished in Alberta would, however, be creditable under any circumstances, and is especially so in view of the fact that the Alberta records were made by cows imported from Ontario, and that had not as yet been fully acclimatized in the West.

At the demonstration farm at Sedgewick, Alberta, the Shorthorn cow, Lady McKay 2nd, gave 10,472 lbs. of milk in one year. Another Shorthorn gave 9,999 and 9,006 lbs. of milk respectively. Fourteen cows of the same breed at this farm, five of these being two-year-olds, and one three, gave an average of over 6,000 lbs. of milk for the year.

The most interesting feature in the connection with being done with dairy Shorthorns at these Alberta Provincial farm is found in the records made by daughters of one of the herd bulls. This bull is Butcher King. He has, says the official report of the Department of Agriculture, all the characteristics of the choicest dairy Shorthorn bulls, and at the same time, he would in his prime have stood in good company in the show ring. This bull is the sire of one cow which produced 8,343 pounds of milk in nine months; another which is credited with 5,284 pounds in a little over six months; and a three-year-old which produced 2,561 pounds in three months, and a two-year-old which has a record of 1,454 pounds of milk in five months. The departmental report claims for this bull that he has more daughters in the Record of Merit in Canada than any other dairy Shorthorn bull in the Dominion.

New Type of Aeroplane

Improved British Biplane Second Fastest Thing in the World

A new type of aeroplane now being used by the British at the front has just been described by the makers, according to a statement made by Baron Montagu. C. G. Grey, editor of The Aeroplane, gives the following description of this new aerial destroyer.

"These small fighting machines are distinctly a British product, having been introduced by the British in a year or so before the war. From first experiments they have been developed and fitted with more and more powerful engines until today the British scout biplane is the fastest thing in the world except a projectile from a gun. The German Fokker monoplane is a fast destroyer, but its success is limited to some extent."

The improvement in the British aeroplanes may eventually have a considerable effect on the air defenses of Britain. It must necessarily be more rapid than the improvement in airships, and consequently it is quite probable that the new types of destroyer aeroplanes may be produced which will make it almost impossible for airships to get away from the British Isles, if they ever reach them.

Improvements in climbing, strength, and power of aeroplanes have been so great that they can now be reasonably expected to outclimb an airship, and the speed of the best aeroplane has always been superior to that of the best contemporary airship.

"So that with these improvements in the organization of the defence forces, it is not unlikely that even the most improved German airships may find it too expensive to continue to annoy the British Isles."

"Bang!" went the rifles at the manoeuvres. "Good!" screamed the pretty girl—a nice, decorous, surprised little scream. She stepped backward into the arms of a young man.

"Oh!" said she, blushing. "I was frightened by the rifles. I beg your pardon."

"Not at all," said the young man. "Let's go over and watch the artillery."

Source of German Alarm

Adoption of Compulsory Service by Great Britain Worries German Press

One of the features of the lengthy reviews of the second year of the world war published in the German newspapers of the last Sunday of July is an appreciation of the adoption of compulsory military service in England. The Cologne Gazette, as quoted by the London Times, said in its review:

"Among the surprises of this war is the fact that it has brought England to the introduction of universal military service—the greatest internal revolution in England's modern history. Even those who knew England well clung to the last to the belief that it would not be possible to force upon the English people this institution so antagonistic to its fundamental convictions. A last judgment will appreciate the full extent of this sacrifice, and measure the seriousness of England's intention to make Germany harmless for much longer."

The Gazette goes on to say that the adoption of compulsion has nevertheless "been in vain." The Frankfurter Zeitung also emphasizes the importance of compulsion in England, although it says that "hundreds of thousands are surely tolerating it only with gnashing of teeth."

The Frankfurter Zeitung, in its leading article, declares that it is not Germany that bears "the terrible guilt of every fresh day on which thousands die." Germany can only "hold out until the hour at which the strength of her enemies is devoured in their own fire, and until the day when reason finally masters arrogance." The journal says that Germany's victory will consist in self-maintenance.

In a long article on "War Finances" the Frankfurter Zeitung claims that German methods have proved superior, but the writer does not say that the situation is sound. Dealing with the belligerents generally, he says that as long as confidence in Germany is maintained, the technique of war finance holds out, especially as paper and the printing press are not only able to produce "money" for the time being, but also the means of producing a brilliant deception regarding the actual impoverishment by artificially producing buying power and artificially creating an apparent war boom. The Zeitung says that the German Empire has thus far been able to finance the war "almost without having recourse to the printing press." It says that the circulation of large quantities of German paper money in Belgium, Northern France and Poland constitutes "a serious problem of the future." Elsewhere in the same article the Zeitung says:

"It would be a folly unworthy of a grown-up people to try to conceal the extent of the sacrifices for us and our allies if the conclusion of peace were not to bring us a large indemnity. But for the period of the war—which is what matters as regards our strength in financial readiness to make sacrifices and to economize capacity—we can be satisfied."

Evidence of German Barbarism

In the White Book—or official report—recently issued by the French Government asking neutral powers to make investigations into inhuman practices by German troops, sworn evidence is given of men seventy to eighty years old made to work; of women forced to labor under the fire of French troops, and others compelled to dig trenches.

It also makes a charge, based on the testimony of a witness, that in October, 1914, the Germans took from the Department of Pas de Calais a party of inhabitants, and that they used them as shields against the fire of the French and that forty were thus killed.

"In F—, Meurthe and Moselle, war assigned to the Mayor being uncompleted in time, he was suspended from a tree by means of a rope passed under his arms, and he was left in this position about an hour."

"Do animals possess the sentiment of affection?" asked the school teacher of the little girl.

"Yeth, ma'am. Almost always."

"Good," praised the teacher. "Now, turning to a little boy, 'tell me what animal has the greatest natural fondness for man?'"

The small boy considered, carefully, then returned: "Woman."

Mortgages in the West

Lenders and Borrowers Confer, And Better Understanding of Both Sides Likely to Result

For a number of years, says The Grain Growers' Guide, there has been a good deal of criticism on the part of the farmers in the West against the mortgage companies. Four-fifths of the farms in the Prairie Provinces are mortgaged, and it is therefore a question of vital interest to the farming community. The prevailing average rate of interest in Manitoba on farm mortgages is seven per cent, and in Saskatchewan and Alberta eight per cent, and there are mortgages carrying nine per cent with some higher rates in outlying districts.

The expense of foreclosure is also complained of. The expenses in Alberta for foreclosures on farms are almost double those of the other two provinces, running as high as \$100 to foreclose a \$1,000 mortgage on a quarter section. The delays are also very serious in that province. Legislation makes foreclosure proceedings very slow, very tedious, and very costly, and all the cost must come out of the farmer if he has any equity left in his property.

Very frequently, too, land under mortgage is abandoned, and grows up to weeds. Noxious weeds inspectors destroy the weeds, and frequently pay, very heavy charge on the land. At times it has run as high as \$600 against a half section. This is made a prior charge to the first mortgage, and a number of cases where foreclosure proceedings have taken place it has been found after paying off the weed charges, seed charges and other charges of gopher holes, that the mortgagee was left with several hundred dollars.

A conference was recently held between representatives of mortgage companies and representative western farmers with a view to bringing about a better understanding. It was found that a common ground soon existed, and both parties agreed in recommending that all existing legislation giving priority over first mortgages to claim other than legitimate taxes should be repealed, and that no future legislation of that nature should be enacted. This, it was pointed out, would tend to improve the security given under a mortgage and so reduce the rate of interest. It was also pointed out by the representatives of the lenders that there is very generally a feeling in rural communities of the West against the mortgage companies, particularly if held by a mortgage company, and that the levying of excessive charges against such also tends to reduce the security of lenders, and in this way again interest rates are necessarily increased.

The conference should make for a better understanding between lenders and borrowers.

Germans Fought to Death

In the Horror There Was an Occasional Glimpse of Humor

Philip Gibbs, in a story sent from headquarters in France of the fighting around Thiepval, says:

"Many Germans defended themselves to the death. A sentry outside one of the dugouts saw the British approaching, and turning quickly he shouted down the word 'England' to his comrades below. One of the Warwickers closest to him hurled his last bomb at him and then, seizing the man's rifle, sprang on to the parapet ready to shoot the Germans as they came up. They came up in a swarm with bombs, and there was a great conflict, which ended only when the last German was dead."

In one dugout there was in the midst of all this horror, a comic episode. A curtain divided the dugouts. A Warwickshire man thrust his bayonet beneath the curtain, when suddenly the curtain was drawn to one side, and a German soldier, yawning and yawning, looked at his knuckles, stood there to sell, and say "What's up?" He had slept heavily through the bombardment and the attack, and now believed he was dreaming.

Canada as a Wheat Exporter

Ten years ago no one would have thought that Canada would enter the field as an exporter of wheat. Today the Dominion is able to export 275,000,000 bushels. Two other of England's ready wheat markets, India and Australia, have 175,000,000 bushels to sell, and Argentina able to export 150,000,000 bushels, writes a railway authority. "This total of 600,000,000 bushels is more than enough to supply the needs of Europe's import needs, which are normally about 500,000,000 bushels."

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Note and Comment

Subscribing to the new Canadian war loan is a good way of helping the country and helping one's self at the same time.

An educated people is a national asset of priceless value.

After the war we shall all be much poorer in material wealth. There will be no royal road to ease and luxury. The healthy discipline of work and greater simplicity of living will be the rule for classes. That will not be a bad thing in itself, for, as Carlyle says, there is a wholesome significance in work.

To clear off the huge burden of debt accumulated during the war will take time; but in proportion as our people are educated and fitly equipped that time will be shortened. The future of this country depends on its schools. Let us see to it that our schools are made worthy of our people and our empire.

There is an agitation in Calgary in favor of having fines collected under the Liquor Act to go to the municipalities.

"We are satisfied pretty well with the prohibition act," says a Calgary paper, "but we do not think we should have to stand all the expense of enforcing it and get none of the fines."

Is the cost of enforcing the Act in Calgary so heavy, and is the revenue from fines so great as their protest indicates?

We had a notion that John Barleycorn was somewhat of a curiosity, down Calgary way.

The White Eskimos, says Dr. Anderson, who has just returned from an Arctic expedition, have now learned to beg and steal.

War, politics, the tango, and uplift societies will likely be the next blessings conferred upon them by civilization.

Food prices will go higher yet before they get any lower.

It is claimed that by next spring bread will be worth 20 cents a loaf, in the cities, and that flour will be \$14 a barrel.

There is talk in the States of having congress place an embargo on the exportation of wheat as they fear a shortage which would cause famine prices for bread.

King Ferdinand of Bulgaria feels that it is a mistake to pick the winning team in the first innings.

The people of Great Britain may not call it protection, but they certainly will not, when the war is over, leave their markets wide open to be flooded with German goods as they were before the war.

Is it too much to say that the end of free trade in the only great free trade country on earth is irrisist? It certainly looks like it.

A soldier back from France says that champagne that costs \$5 per quart in Canada can be obtained for 80 cents, there.

Join now!

A new device brought out as the result of the scarcity of oil in Germany for illuminating purposes is called a "carbide candle." It is fitted inside an ordinary kerosene lamp after the burner has been removed and it is said to furnish a cheap and satisfactory substitute for the kerosene light.

You've heard the saying, "touch and go."

And it has wisdom, don't you know;

So when an easy mark you've found,

And made your touch, don't hang around.

CHINESE PROVERBS

Think twice and do not speak at all.

At 70 a man is a candle in the wind.

Do not lace your shoes in a mellow patch.

If you suspect a man, don't employ him; if you employ a man, don't suspect him.

Unskilled fools quarrel with their tools.

Easy to open a shop; hard to keep it open.

Better do kindness near home than go far to burn incense.

In a united family happiness springs up of itself.

Nine little sausages

Sizzling on a plate;

In came the boarders

And then they were ate.

Those new armored cars are said to be of the caterpillar type. Not only do they crawl themselves, but they make the Germans do the crawl act too.

A bachelor never figures on marrying a widow, but when a widow figures on marrying a bachelor the wedding bells commence to tremble.

"What sort of a woman is Perkins' wife?"

"The ordinary kind. I guess Perkins has as much trouble with her as the rest of us do with our wives."

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Nerviline has probably saved you from pleurisy. Just try Nerviline for chest tightness, coughs, aches and soreness—it's a wonderful liniment, and when kept in the home saves the family from lots of ills and suffering. A large bottle on hand makes the doctor's bill mighty small, and can be depended on as a reliable and mighty prompt cure for rheumatism, sciatica, lumbago, pleurisy, stiff neck, sore muscles, and enlarged joints. Get the large 50c family size bottle; it is far more economical than the 25c trial size. Sold by dealers everywhere, or direct from the Carthage Co., Kingston, Canada.

In Hamburg Harbor

Bitter Commentary on Germany's Loss of Her Great Marine Trade

The London Daily Mail quotes from The Berliner Tageblatt's description of Hamburg written by a recent visitor to that port. "If anyone wants to realize the picture of Hamburg as a sleeping beauty he need only take a run down to the docks. The sound of sirens, the groaning of cranes, the clanking of anchor chains is heard no more. Only from the shipbuilding yards come occasional sounds of blows of hammers. Through the silence of the quays and ships, everything is completely still. Before the war, boats made an uninterrupted chain right to the mouth of the Elbe, but now the tenants of the villas on Blankenese tell me they rush to the window every time a ship goes by. The whole place is deserted excepting for some warehouse caretakers, a sentinel guarding the margarine depot and a few women packing salted codfish. The Imperator lay empty in the docks. Strange to say, the brass port-hole fittings of this ship are untouched. The ship has 2,000 portholes and the weight of brass is 75 tons, but it is too much trouble to remove it."

Minard's Liniment Relieves Neuralgia.

Fall Wheat Escaped Rust
While the spring wheat plots at the Manitoba Agricultural College were very seriously affected by the rust this year, it is noteworthy that the fall wheat varieties escaped practically unscathed. Although it is not usual for fall wheat to stand the winter in most parts of Manitoba (the Swan River district being a notable exception), yet all the plots at the College came through last winter in perfect condition, and, being more advanced than the spring wheats when the rust outbreak occurred, gave an excellent and heavy yield of good grain.

The English colony in Buenos Ayres has sent \$15,000 to the Prince of Wales' Fund.



Two Fellows

are trying to get ahead

It's easy to see who'll win.

If you have any doubt about tea or coffee holding some people back—in fact many—leave the hesitating class, stop both tea and coffee ten days, and use

POSTUM

This delicious pure food-drink, made of wheat, dusted with a bit of wholesome molasses, has a delightful, snappy flavor. It is free from the drugs in tea and coffee and all harmful ingredients.

Postum is good for old and young, and makes for health and efficiency.

"There's a Reason"

Canadian Postum Cereal Co., Ltd.
Windsor, Ont.

The School and the Farm

Benefits Derived From Teaching Agriculture in the Schools

In times past there has been far too little connection between the school and the farm. With the introduction of agriculture into the school system an opportunity is offered to bring the school and farm together in a manner which will be beneficial to both and peculiarly beneficial to the farm boy who is the medium for such co-operation. It is necessary to have real co-operation on the part of the parent if the school and the farm are to be brought into closer relationship to the advantage of all concerned. The parent must furnish the pupil with the land, the animals or the equipment for the carrying out of the projects selected. He must also grant the pupil the time needed for the work, and should verify and vouch for the time record of the pupil. He should also, so far as may be practical, give the pupil the benefit of his own experience in the accomplishment of similar projects, and to give the work a maximum of educational value he should allow the pupil the benefit derived from his own labor and management. This, however, may not be always easy of accomplishment, although that is one of the phases of the regular business of the farm as his task. — The Michigan Farmer.

Minard's Liniment Cures Dandruff.

Wife (nibbling her pen): Let's see, what is the term applied to one who signs another person's name to a check?
Hub: Five or ten years, usually.

PALE, WEAK GIRLS

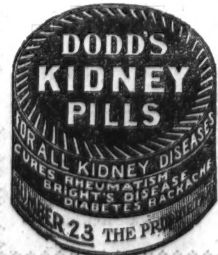
Grow Into Weak Despondent Women—How to Overcome the Trouble

Healthy Girlhood is the only path to a healthy womanhood. The passing from girlhood to womanhood is a new tax upon the blood. It is the overtaxing of the blood that makes growing girls suffer from headaches and backaches, from nervousness and weakness and weariness, from languor, despondency and constant ill-health. Unhealthy girlhood is bound to lead to unhealthy womanhood and a life of misery. Nothing but the blood-purifying qualities of Dr. Williams' Pink Pills can save a girl when she undertakes the trials and tasks of womanhood. That is the time when nature makes new demands upon the blood supply. Dr. Williams' Pink Pills actually make new, rich blood to meet these new demands. In this simple, scientific way Dr. Williams' Pink Pills grow girls into healthy women, and makes their dawning womanhood bright and attractive. Miss A. Sternberg, Haileybury Road, London, Ont., says: "I have much reason to be grateful to Dr. Williams' Pink Pills, as they restored me to health, if indeed, they did not save me. In 1914 I began to feel run down, and the doctor was called in said that mine was a bad case of anaemia. I lost flesh, always felt tired and I got so nervous that I could scarcely hold a cup to take a drink. My heart would flutter alarmingly. The doctor did not seem to be able to help me at all and my family and friends—all thought that I was in a decline and could not recover. I was in bed for some weeks and my aunt came to see me and urged that I try Dr. Williams' Pink Pills. My father got a supply, and by the time I had taken three boxes, there was a noticeable improvement, and from that on I steadily progressed toward recovery. I continued using the pills for some time longer, and I am restored to my old-time health and strength. I shall never cease to praise this medicine, and to urge all weak, run-down girls to give it a fair trial. It has proved in my own case their great merit."

You can get these pills from any dealer in medicine or by mail at 50 cents a box or six boxes for \$2.50 from The Dr. Williams' Medicine Co., Brockville, Ont.

Charity

"Please, kind lady," said the wayfarer, "I ain't had a bite to eat in 24 hours."
"You are just the man I'm looking for," replied the housewife. "My husband gathered a mess of mushrooms this morning, and I want to make sure they are not too strong. Just wait a moment and I'll bring you a dish of them."



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It will do more than satisfy his craving for something sweet—it will supply the food elements needed to build up his little body and help him to gain in health and strength.

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The War In Africa

Huge Territory Taken From Germany Since War Began

The report that General Smuts, the British commander in East Africa, is about to complete the conquest of Germany's richest and richest possession in that continent suggests the strange narratives of war destined to flow from that field when the full story of the conflict is unfolded. It has been just two years since Britain carried the war into Africa by seizing Port Lame, in Togoland; and only German East Africa remains unconquered, although that is a territory in area greater than all the New England, the Middle Atlantic States and Ohio, Indiana, Illinois and Michigan and containing a population of seven million Africans.

Very little attention has been given to that far away phase of the war which has been pressed continuously and has deprived the imperial government of an area more than twice the size of the twenty-five states of the European continent. The rich land of Alsace-Lorraine. The man who, in his boyhood, was thrilled by reading of the adventures of Livingstone and Stanley, and the rest of the world can anticipate with relish the kind of tale that is to be told when, laying aside the cold language and restraints of official and censored reports, the full story is unfolded of the campaign now under way from Tanganyika to Zanzibar. — Philadelphia Bulletin.

Elderly Gentleman (alone in a compartment with fully-armed soldiers, next stop one hour): Excuse me, my man, but your face is strangely familiar to me.

Soldier (with meaning): Quite likely, sir, seeing that you were the gent in the tribunal who made game of me being a conscientious objector. But you'll be glad to 'ear I've changed my mind, and I ain't now got no objection to takin' 'uman life.—Punch.

The Bowels Must Act Healthily.—Most ailments the first care of the medical man is to see that the bowels are open and fully performing their functions. Parallels' Vegetable Pills are so compounded that certain ingredients in them act on the bowels solely and they are the very best medicine available to produce healthy action of the bowels. Indeed, there is no other specific so trustworthy in keeping the digestive organs in healthful action.

Germany Plays an Inhuman Trick
International law, in forbidding the laying of floating mines (a crime that the Huns have frequently committed), demands that all "moored mines" shall be so constructed that they should through stress of weather or for any other cause break away from their moorings, they will instantly become "safe." This is to safeguard neutral and other non-combatant lives.

The German mine is fitted with a chain one end of which is connected to the mooring wire, the other being attached to the gunnison primer in the base of the mine. The idea is that should the mine break away the chain will pull the primer out of the mine, which would thus be made safe.

The idea is good enough, no doubt, but of the thousands of mines that the British sweepers have pulled up and examined before destroying not one has the chain been found intact! In every case it has been found not broken, but deliberately cut in half!

The public use of German and Austrian music in Italy is forbidden.

For Emergencies

When you have a bilious attack, or when you feel illness coming on—promptly move the bowels, start the liver working and put your entire digestive system in good shape with a dose or two of the time-tested

BEECHAM'S PILLS

You will welcome the quick relief and often ward off a severe illness. Beecham's Pills are carefully compounded from vegetable products—mild, harmless, and not habit-forming. Buy a box now. You don't know when you may need Beecham's Pills. A reliable family remedy that always

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The Lights Of 65 Years Ago

Are still doing duty in the shape of

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Sixty-five years ago the first Canadian-made Matches were made at Hull by Eddy and since that time, for materials and striking qualities, Eddy's have been the acknowledged best.

When Buying Matches Specify "Eddy's."

Railways and Forestry

The experiment of planting trees along the railway in sandy districts in Canada to prevent sand drifting over the tracks promises to be a success, and trees are also to be utilized as permanent snow fences. Besides being useful, the trees will give a touch of beauty where it is needed most. The idea is a happy one. — Montreal Gazette.

When Your Eyes Need Care
Use Murine Eye Medicine. No Stinging—No Itch—No Pain. Try it for Red, Weak, sore Eyes and Granular Eyelids. Murine is compounded by our Oculists—not a "Patent Medicine"—but used in successful Ophthalmic Practices for many years. Now dedicated to the Public and sold in every drug store at 50c per bottle. Murine Eye Medicine in English, French, and Spanish. Write for Book of the Eye Free. Murine Eye Remedy Company, Chicago. Adv.

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Germany's Food Restrictions

Eating of an Extra Egg a Crime Against the Fatherland

Adolph von Batocki, president of the German food regulation board, has issued an appeal to the women of rural Germany to divide their food with the women and children of the towns and cities.

He says: "Restrictions everywhere are necessary, and all the more necessary the longer the war lasts. These restrictions must be increased for rural households. Any operation on the land who consumes even half a litre of milk or a quarter of a pound more of butter, or even an egg more than is absolutely necessary, sins against the fatherland. An organization would be created in order to buy up all butter, eggs, vegetables, etc., that can be dispensed with in the country and use them to feed the big towns."

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There is more Catarrh in this section of the country than all other diseases put together, and for years it was supposed to be incurable. Doctors prescribed local remedies, and by constantly failing to cure with local remedies, pronounced the incurable Catarrh a local disease, greatly influenced by constitutional conditions and therefore requires constitutional treatment. Hall's Catarrh Cure, manufactured by F. J. Cheney & Co., Toledo, Ohio, is a constitutional remedy, it acts internally and acts through the blood by the Mucous Membrane System. One Hundred Dollars reward is offered for any case that Hall's Catarrh Cure fails to cure. Send for circular and testimonials. F. J. CHENEY & CO., Toledo, Ohio. Sold by Druggists, 75c.

Russia Will Have Grand Awakening

Peaceful Revolution Is Expected to Do Great Things at Close of the War

Travellers coming from Russia, no matter of what nationality, talk of but one thing, the wonderful awakening of Russia. Americans, in particular, seem greatly impressed by the growth of national spirit in the half-medieval empire and are most sanguine as to its future.

Great as is the awakening already, all agree that it is nothing to what will take place immediately after the war, when millions of soldiers return with the new outlook upon the world, new ideas, and new knowledge of civilized living. Russia, it is said, fully expects a revolution after the war, but the hope and belief is that it will be purely political and unattended by bloodshed and destruction.

Worms feed upon the vitality of children and endanger their lives. A simple and effective cure is Mother Graves' Worm Extirminator.

The number of women engaged in making munitions in Japan has increased 35 per cent. since the 1st of January, 1916.

"Making the Great Canada"

Presenting a Sublime Spectacle of Unselfishness and Devotion to Principle

The sacrifices that our big sister who lives next door to us on the north is making to do her share for the Mother Country in the present war of Europeans, are so vast and inspiring that they challenge the admiration of the world, says the Cleveland, Ohio, Plain Dealer. Nobody courts trouble, but everybody feels like cheering a plucky soul, who, being in trouble, goes sturdily about the task of forcing an honorable way out of it.

With Canada it is a simple matter of fighting from a sense of responsibility to the British Empire. Canada has not shirked that responsibility. She is not fighting because she loves war and enjoys the daily perusal of casualty lists. Her griefs are such that a people less staunch and loyal would be crushed under their weight. The war has dealt heavily with the great Dominion. She has given freely of her best men and devotion to the British cause—a sublime spectacle of unselfishness and devotion to principle.

Her reward? There must be a reward for such heroic sacrifice. It is probably come from the fact that a great sorrow binds those who feel it closer and closer together. The war is a bitter trial to the Canadian spirit, but the trial will leave the Dominion eventually a stronger, greater country than ever. Canada is suffering much, but she suffers uncomplainingly and the tempering process of affliction, added to the cohesive influence of a great cause that demands universal sacrifice on the part of her sons, will mean a country more glorious when the days of trouble are past.

Worms, by the irritation that they cause in the stomach and intestines, deprive infants of the nourishment that they should derive from food, and mal-nutrition is the result. Miller's Worm Powders destroy worms and correct the morbid conditions in the stomach and bowels that are favorable to worms, so that the full nourishment of the child is assured, and development in every way encouraged.

Russian Jews To Be Recruited in Great Britain

There Are Large Numbers of Them Who Escaped Service in Their Own Country

A middle way has been found to solve a problem of the world to do with many thousands of Russian and Polish Jews who are living in Britain, having escaped military service in the Czar's army, and not coming under the British conscription laws. In London, Manchester, Liverpool and other big cities, there are large numbers of these, a large proportion of them of military age, who naturally came to be regarded with no favorable eye by their English neighbors, whose men were engaged in war work.

After some agitation, the government proposed to enact a law whereby Russian Jews of military age would be forced to enlist in the British army under the threat of being sent back to Russia, where they would be liable to heavy penalties as defaulters from military service. This project aroused a storm of disapproval, though ably defended by Sir Herbert Samuel.

Sir Herbert, while not withdrawing the original proposals, has now hit on a compromise. Reason and persuasion are to be substituted for force and threatening. A responsible committee of leading Russian Jews, Sir Herbert announces, has been formed which will conduct an active recruiting campaign in London and other centres among the foreign Jewish people and definite inducements will be held out to them voluntarily to enlist. There is the idea of forming a special Jewish corps.

Searchlights at Gibraltar are so powerful that the whole passage to the African coast is visible all through the night.

All women must make themselves useful. I would sooner clean out a pigsty than dust a drawing-room. — Mrs. Roland Wilkins.

Why "Anuric" is an INSURANCE Against Sudden Death.

Before an Insurance Company will take a risk on your life the examining physician will test the urine and report whether you are a safe risk. When your kidneys get sluggish and clog you suffer from backache, sick-headache, dizzy spells, or the twinges and pains of lumbago, rheumatism and gout. The urine is often cloudy, full of sediment; channels often get sore and sleep is disturbed two or three times a night. This is the time you should consult some physician of wide experience—such as Dr. Pierce of the Invalide's Hotel and Surgical Institute, Buffalo, N. Y. Send him 10 cents for sample package of his new discovery, "Anuric." Write him your symptoms and send a sample of urine for test. Experience has taught Dr. Pierce that "Anuric" is the most powerful agent in dissolving uric acid, as hot water melts sugar; besides being absolutely harmless it is endowed with other properties, for it preserves the kidneys in a healthy condition by thoroughly cleansing them. Being so many times more active than lithia, it clears the heart valves of any sandy substances which may clog the valves, and thus degeneration of the blood-vessels, as well as regulating blood pressure. "Anuric" is a regular insurance and life-saver for all big meat-eaters and those who deposit lime-salts in their joints. Ask the druggist for "Anuric" put up by Dr. Pierce, in 50-cent packages.

STRENGTH AND BEAUTY
Come with Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery. This is a blood purifier and alternative that starts the liver and stomach into vigorous action. It assists the body to manufacture rich red blood, which feeds the heart, nerves, brain and organs of the body. The organs work smoothly like machinery running in oil. You feel clean, strong and strenuous instead of tired, weak and faint.

Side Jobs Barred

Civil Servants Will Have to Stick to Regular Employment

It is understood that the minister of finance is about to issue an order which will put a stop to the practice common among civil servants of doing little side jobs during their spare time in order to earn extra money. The reason for this step, it is pointed out, is because at this particular time, when the government is employing large numbers of extra clerks, the civil servants should concentrate their minds entirely on the work which the government is paying them to do.

As a result of the growing shortage of labor of every kind, the regulation governing the maximum age for candidates for admission to the civil service have been dropped. An order-in-council has been passed to the effect that during the continuance of the war a candidate for examination and appointment to the civil service will not be ineligible by reason of the fact that his age is greater than 35 years.

The Cause of Appendicitis Now Definitely Known

The commonest cause of appendicitis is constipation. Every doctor says so. When you require physic, don't use a cheap drastic pill—get Dr. Hamilton's Pills, which are made from the private formula of one of the greatest physicians. Dr. Hamilton's Pills strengthen the stomach, regulate the bowels and prevent any tendency to appendicitis. In one day you will feel the tremendous benefit of Dr. Hamilton's Pills. By purifying the blood and cleansing the system they prevent headaches, lift depression and drive away weariness. No medicine so successful as Dr. Hamilton's Pills. Sold everywhere in 25c boxes, with yellow cover; get the genuine.

Minard's Liniment for sale everywhere.

Failed to Notice It

A very inquisitive man was sitting at a table next to a man who had lost an arm above the elbow. "I see you have lost an arm," finally he ventured. The one-armed man picked up his empty sleeve and creased into it. "Great Scott! I believe I have," he answered.—New York Globe.

Increasing Storage Capacity

More Elevators Are Being Built to Handle the Western Crops

The Grain Growers' Grain Co., a farmers' organization whose activities extend over the provinces of Alberta, Saskatchewan and Manitoba, has let the contract for the erection of a new storage elevator at Fort William, with a 300,000 bushel capacity. Fort William already has 19 elevators, with total storage capacity of 26,940,000 bushels, of which two elevators already belong to or are leased by the Grain Growers' Grain Company.

The Saskatchewan Co-operative Elevator Company, another farmers' organization, intends building this year as many elevators as the 30 new elevators which it has had in contemplation for some time past, one of which is a terminal elevator of 2,500,000 bushels capacity, and for which it expects to have sufficient liquid capital to pay out of its own funds without borrowing. Three interior terminal elevators were completed by the Canadian Government last summer, at Calgary, Saskatoon and Moose Jaw, with a capacity of 2,500,000 bushels in the first case and 3,500,000 bushels each in the other two. A certain amount of last year's crop was handled at these three points. This year, however, will see that amount greatly augmented.

A new feature will mark the handling of the 1916 Western Canadian grain crop. Anticipating the westward movement of grain to the Pacific coast and thence through the Panama Canal, the Dominion Government has created a large elevator at Vancouver, B.C., through which it is not idle to suppose a proportion of the grain shipments destined for Europe will be sent. This new elevator has just been taken off the contractors' hands by the Dominion Grain Commission.

At the end of April, 1915, the total elevator capacity of Western Canada, according to the joint tariff published by the Canadian railways, was 148,435,000 bushels. With the additions made that are referred to above and others that have not been announced, it is safe to assume that this year the elevators of Western Canada will be capable of storing 155,000,000 bushels. The flour milling capacity of the country in the summer of 1915 was 59,000 barrels per day and a corresponding increase in this direction is also to be looked for.

Minard's Liniment Cures Burns, Etc.

Church Union at the Front

A Baptist chaplain says: "Communism at the front is a patetically simple thing. I wish you could have been at my last. A lad asked me to hear his confession, and when we commenced several devoutly crossed themselves as they took bread and wine. Life out here is too big for fine distinctions, and men never ask if the Communion is according to the order of their Lord. I wonder if we shall learn the lesson and prepare a welcome worthy of the lads who are teaching us things. We are one out here. What God hath joined together let no man put asunder."

All Night with Asthma. Everyone knows how attacks of asthma often keep their victim awake the whole night long. Morning finds him wholly unrefreshed for a day of business, and yet, business must still be carried through. All this night suffering and lack of rest can be avoided by the prompt use of Dr. J. D. Kellogg's Asthma Remedy, which positively does drive away the attack.

The "Back Number"

A merchant who fails to use newspaper advertising is termed a "back number" by Henry C. Brown, advertising manager for the Victor Talking Machine Company. He cites interesting instances of firms who would not part with the ownership of their trade-marks for millions of dollars.

It lies within the power of any dealer to mount to great heights as a captain of industry if he will use newspaper advertising judiciously, he declared.—Kingston Whig.

A western stock man dehorn his calves with Gillett's lye. When a calf is a few days old he rubs grease around the place where the horn is due to appear and puts lye on the seat of the horn itself. No horns grow, and no scar is left.

The Army of Constipation

Is Growing Smaller Every Day.

CARTER'S LITTLE LIVER PILLS are responsible—they not only give relief—they permanently cure Constipation. Millions use them for Bileless-ness, Indigestion, Sick Headache, Sallow Skin.

Small Pill, Small Dose, Small Price. Genuine must bear Signature

Wm. Wood

They Got Slapped for It

"You're sweet enough to eat," said he, "As on the porch they sat. "The Skeeters think I am," said she, "They're giving proof of that."

It Eases Pain. Ask any druggist or dealer in medicines what is the most popular of the medicinal oils for pains in the joints, in the muscles or nerves, or for neuralgia and rheumatism, and he will tell you that Dr. Thomas' Electric Oil is in greater demand than any other. The reason for this is that it possesses greater healing qualities than any other oil.

The Ideal

Stella: "The astrich doesn't see much and digests everything." Bella: "What an ideal husband."

One out of every ten farmers in Manitoba is a tenant, and two-fifths of the residents of the urban districts are tenants.

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TENNIS CHAMPIONSHIP

The long-looked-for, warmly-debated, and oft-claimed tennis championship of Monitor, was finally disposed of a few days ago when J. A. Hayes and A. Christensen fought it out on the local court. Thirty nine games were played in a five set match. Some brilliant tennis was played, in spots, and the usual flow of language, which has always been a feature of the games, was conspicuous by its absence, for which the large and fashionable gallery gave thanks. Huston and MacKenzie risked their lives when they consented to act as arbiters, but their just findings, altho sometimes slow in being rendered, allowed them to escape from "No mans land" unscathed. After a heavy bombardment for about two hours the trenches were rushed and when the smoke of battle cleared away it was seen that Christensen had captured 26 games while Hayes had 13 in tow, mostly wounded ones. The sets went 6-0; 6-1; 2-6; 6-2; 6-1. Hayes winning only one

Play the game and play it hard.
Though your luck looks grim to you
Back the worth of every card,
And, if cards won't come to you,
Don't give over to despair,
Play as tho the cards were there!

For the poorest hand of all
May assure the game to you;
If your bluff don't get a call
It is just the same to you
As if luck to you should bring
Four big aces and a king.

What if someone calls? Ah, well!
You must buy a stack again;
Luck may leave you for a spell,
But it must come back again,
If you play with all your wit
All your skill and nerve and grit.

Life's the game—so play it hard,
Dare the vote or ninth of it;
Back up each and every card
To the utmost worth of it.
Pikers find existence tan;
If you'd live—why, play the game!

Berton Braley

The Searchlight, the monthly paper published in Edmonton by the Temperance and Moral Reform League, has again made its appearance. Owing to lack of funds the publication of the paper had been stopped for a considerable period.

Twenty nine persons were killed, Monday, in a zepp raid.

Three Million Dollars

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Improved Farms
AT 8 per cent.

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J. C. LAY, Agent
Monitor Alta

In the air raid over England on Saturday, in which fifteen Zeppelins took part, two of them were destroyed by the anti-aircraft guns. The crew of one zepp were all killed and the other crew captured.

About thirty people were killed and more than a hundred wounded by bombs dropped by the raiders.

Twelve trawlers were sunk by submarines, in the North Sea, about the same time as the air-raid.

The cash subscriptions to the Canadian War Loan exceeded the amount asked for by over one hundred million dollars, more than double the loan.

The total number of Canadian casualties up to Saturday last, were 42,000. 6,650 have been killed in action, 2,505 died of wounds; 447 died of sickness; 927 are presumed dead; 30,128 wounded; 1,052 missing.

Five persons were caught having liquor on their premises in High River and were each fined \$100 and costs.

An attempt will soon be made to recover some of the cargo of the Lusitania. It is hoped to recover the specie she had on board.

The pay of all German officers is to be reduced on the 1st of October.

There is a labor shortage in several districts in Saskatchewan, and a great many outfits have had to shut down.

Another big Canadian loan to Great Britain has been arranged for. The money will be used to pay for munitions in this country.

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BRITAIN READY TO PAY THE PRICE TO ATTAIN A COMPLETE VICTORY

POSSIBILITY OF A PATCHED-UP PEACE DISMISSED

Britain Has Put Aside All Speculation About The Duration Of The War, And The People Are Determined To See The Struggle Carried Through To A Successful Conclusion

When the experimental preludes to the slow advance began speculation was various. There were still large knots of enthusiasts, military and lay, who thought that the German lines in the west would be widely breached in a few weeks. The questions to be established, therefore, by real operations were two: what would be the tempo of victory and what the cost? We have the answer on both points, and the stern, sober judgments, who now quite predominate in the direction of this business, are justified.

The tempo of victory will undoubtedly be pretty slow, at least until the fighting is resumed on the final and largest scale in spring. As for the cost — I am referring now, of course, to casualties — it must certainly be terrible by comparison with all previous British precedents, and there is no quarter German delusion that Britain will not stand the sacrifice.

Now, just on account of the faults which make it so hard to get the people of this country fairly going for war, they are by temperament as well built to stand moral and physical strain as any people in the world. The more they suffer in a manner so strange to them, the more cool, clear-minded, tenacious and virile they will be. There is no touch of the patriotic pang about this. You will find it proved by events to be the truth without varnish. That is one of the new psychological factors.

Another thing is that continued German brutality and barbarities toward the Allies' wounded and prisoners, and toward the civil population of the occupied districts of France and Belgium are putting a very stark, grim tinge into the British, French and Russian armies. You know well what happens when the more good and the more different temperaments, if provoked long enough, rise without a word, but also without rush, to bruiser a bully.

Throughout the English-speaking world this is universally understood, but it has been quite useless to try to explain it to the Germans. They persist in thinking that they are the intimidates and quells, whereas it only hardens and exasperates their opponents. With inescapable fatality the enemy sinks deeper and deeper into preconceived pieties of the German War Book without any attention to the change of circumstances, or any rational and balanced consideration of what the consequences must be.

Finally, there was the murder of Captain Fritz. It touched England on the maritime side like the sinking of the Lusitania, and on the moral side like the fate of Edith Cavell. This crime was almost more atrocious than either of the others. It filled up the cup.

There is always in England a strain of sentimental idealism, which Germany, by a more clever and plausible policy, might have worked to the deep prejudice of British national interests. But this strain has been eliminated for us what we thought at the beginning might eventually be our greatest national danger.

The murder of Captain Fritz extinguished the last faint lingering possibility of a weak peace. In that respect a curious thing has happened. France, which the enemy had a speedy end a year ago, is preparing as a matter of course for a third winter campaign and another year's fighting.

Britain has simply put aside all speculation about the duration of the war. Our people from top to bottom are determined now to make a clean thing. There is no more talk of "clenching teeth" or "setting jaws" or of anything like that. There is no further need of such conscious expression. The mood I describe is entirely noiseless and automatic. It brings home to the German mind any sense of what that means would be impossible.

That is why I say that the killing has only begun, and that the final stage of the war will be the Hloodiest. It will last for nine months or twelve or a little more until the central empires go under. — J. L. Garvin in New York Tribune.

Printing Known Long Before Caxton

Those who believe printing to have been invented in Europe during the 15th century have been surprised to read of a Chinese University having acquired "the works of the Chinese philosopher, Liu Tsung Tuan, printed in 1167." China has been credited with anticipating not a few modern inventions, but her claim to have discovered the art of printing centuries before its first adoption in Europe is beyond dispute. An edition of most of the Chinese classics was printed by means of wood blocks in 922 A.D., and movable type is said to have been devised by the blacksmith, not the printer, in the 11th century. — London Chronicle.

When Britain's Fleet Stood Ready

Secured the Initiative at the Very Commencement of Hostilities

Writing on July 29, the naval correspondent of the London Times contributed the following interesting summary of the German naval positions immediately prior to the outbreak of war:

It is two years ago today, since the German Fleet left its base at Portland for its war stations in North Sea, where it has been ever since. This strategic movement not only confounded the German plans but has been, and will be, the determining factor of the war.

The inspection of the combined fleets and squadrons was spilt by the King had taken place on July 19 and 20, and after a few days' exercises in the Channel the first fleet had returned to Portland and the second fleet to its home ports. Leave by watches was to have begun on Monday, July 27. On the previous day, however, in view of the disquieting news from abroad, the Prince Louis of Battenberg, who was then in charge of the Admiralty, issued an order by telegraph to the command-in-chief of the home fleets at Portland to the effect that no ship was to leave that anchorage until further orders. This decision for the ships to "stand fast" was necessary because in the ordinary course of events they would have separated at daybreak on July 27, and a few hours later the crews would have been scattered far and wide. At midnight on July 26 the Admiralty announced this precautionary step in the following message to the press:

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To Be Degraded From Knighthood

German Nobles To Be Deprived of Membership in British Orders

Three more German nobles closely connected with the British royal family are to be deprived of their membership in British orders of knighthood.

The Duke of Saxe-Coburg-Gotha, and Prince Albert of Schleswig-Holstein are both grandsons of Queen Victoria. The former being a son of Prince Leopold, Duke of Albany, 4th son of the Good Queen, and the latter a son of Princess Helena, 3rd daughter of Queen Victoria, who married Prince Christian of Schleswig-Holstein.

The Duke of Cumberland, father of the Kaiser's son-in-law, Duke Ernest, is a great grandson of George III, grandfather of Queen Victoria, and by his marriage with Queen Alexandra's sister is uncle to King George V.

Since all three have thrown in their lot with the Kaiser, they are actively enemies to the Empire, and ought to have had their English honors, titles, and financial privileges long ago.

"Banks is a whole-souled fellow."

"Well-heeled, too, I understand."

Princess Patricia's

Reinforcements to Get Across Very Quickly as Result of New Plan

Owing to slow recruiting which is prevalent everywhere, it is estimated that many units are compelled to remain in Canada for a much longer period than they expected. The reinforcements for the Patria have overcome that difficulty by sending their men across by lots of fifty. In this way drafts leave every six weeks or two months, or as soon as the men are recruited and practically trained. One draft has already gone overseas and will soon be in France, and only a few more men are needed to complete the next draft.

On account of this method of sending their men across, the 6th Universities Company never show strength much over fifty, which sometimes gives the impression that the company is not recruiting.

Several splendid men have been taken on the strength lately. The number at present on strength includes nine qualified lieutenants who are proceeding overseas, and are taking their promotion in England or France. The Patria's is a specially trained unit for these men, as Major Gault and the senior officers always try to follow the policy of raising a man from the ranks who knows the traditions and spirit of the Regiment, rather than taking on men from other regiments. At least ten of the officers at present with the Patria are men who have gained their promotion in this manner.

The reinforcements for the Patria are being recruited at Molson Hall, McGill University, Montreal, where their training is facilitated by the use of some of the university buildings and grounds. The unit remains there for all its training on this side and goes to England without first going to camp.

Any inquiries as to enlistment and service will be gladly attended to on application to the Officer commanding 6th Overseas Universities Company, C.E.F., Molson Hall, McGill University, Montreal.

With the Boy Scouts

Interesting Bits of Information Gleaned From Far and Near

Arrangements have been made whereby the flags which have flown over the Canadian Boy Scouts' hut at the front will be preserved as mementos of the war and of the share that the Boy Scouts of Canada had taken in this struggle. This idea was heartily approved by the Canadian General Council of the Boy Scouts' Association. The flags of the war will be sent back to the Canadian Scout Headquarters. It is quite probable that they will be used as challenges for presentation to deserving troops.

The recent death of Capt. the Hon. Roland Phillips, who was killed in the front, removes one of the great pillars of the Scout movement. Capt. Phillips was, in every sense, a "good Scout." It was due mainly to his efforts that the Scout movement in this country sprang into existence throughout the British Isles. The point about his life which should commend itself to every Scout in the world, is that throughout his career as a Scout, he lived in accordance with the Scout Laws were to him the guide in all that he did; therefore, he knew what he was doing, and when he urged every Scout, whatever his work or place in the world might be, to stick to his promise and carry out those laws.

"Don't take tips" is the caption of an article which appeared in one of the recent issues of the "Scout," the official organ of the Boy Scouts. The warning in this issue is that the Scout cannot do a good turn for another in a really friendly way if one is thinking of the "tip" that is to follow. This very lofty ideal has always been urged upon Canadian Boy Scouts by their Scoutmasters and other officers, and while some may be wont to accept tips for doing odd jobs the average Canadian Scout will not accept a tip for doing a good turn.

There are 100,000 ex-Scouts in the British army of today. This information comes to hand in a recent newspaper interview with Sir Robert Baden-Powell, the founder of the Scout movement. Sir Robert said: "Admiral Beatty and the late Admiral Jellicoe, who were both in the battle of Jutland, have testified to the efficiency of our methods through their experience of the ex-Scouts in the Royal Navy. The presence of these boys has told enormous tales of heroism, according to Admiral Hood. Generals in the army have said the same thing concerning ex-Scouts who have served under them."

Sir Robert added: "Our boys are trained for peace work, for good citizenship, which is the basis for success in whatever career they may ultimately adopt. To train them solely for soldiering would make them too much a part of a great machine. We try to make them independent and self-reliant."

"Maud's husband and Kate's are fast friends, aren't they?"
"Maud and Kate think they are. They both get home about two in the morning."

GREAT NEED OF THE PRESENT TIME IS TO SUPPLY THE SINEWS OF WAR

NATIONAL SAVING AND THRIFT HELP TO THIS END

Expenditures On Non-Essentials, Whether Produced At Home Or Abroad, Diverts Capital And Labor To Purposes Which Do Not Help in Winning The War

Canada is passing through a period of phenomenal trade prosperity. Business is booming, there is practically no unemployment, and, worst of all, the country is reaping a rich harvest in increased profits and higher wages. For the month of July alone savings deposits showed an increase of \$1,765,000. This compared with an increase in June of \$2,500,000. These are figures that do not lie, and they indicate a high tide of prosperity which is unparalleled in the history of the Dominion.

The bank returns for the year ending July 31 reveal an equally remarkable record of prosperity. The savings department has shown an increase in deposits of \$97,632,000. That industrial concerns have no lack of capital is indicated by a reduction in current loan on \$18,800,776. These are healthy symptoms. On the threshold of a third year of war Canada is amassing wealth at a rate unprecedented in the few, if any, of the Allied countries.

But with this increasing wealth comes the call for thrift and the necessity of applying surplus savings to high purposes than the satisfying of individual tastes and cravings. Parsimony and extravagance are equally reprehensible in these days of war. The monthly letter of the Bank of Commerce attention is directed to the warning words of the Chancellor of the Exchequer, the Right Hon. Reginald McKenna, who exposes the fallacy underlying the argument that expenditure of money at home, for whatever purposes, increases prosperity.

"It is often necessary in dealing with problems of war expenditure to speak in terms of money, but thinking in terms of money tends to mislead. In terms of money often leads people very much astray. For example, I have heard it said that the more money that is spent on home production the better, because the more money is circulated the greater the prosperity. This is a profound error. What the nation needs is good labor, and services for the successful prosecution of the war. Everyone's service is wanted either directly or indirectly for this purpose, whether supplying our fighting forces or for making goods for export with which to pay for necessary imports. Expenditure on non-essentials, whether produced at home or abroad, diverts capital and labor that can ill be spared to purposes which do not help us in winning the war."

The great essential need in this third year of the campaign is to supply the sinews of war. In this Canadian may aid materially by applying their surplus savings—savings not only from surplus revenue, but savings effected by abstaining from needless expenditure on non-essentials—in taking up the war loan stock. There are few in Canada who do not yearn for some opportunity of helping to smash the enemy. It is not given to everyone to do this on the field of battle. But by the husbanding of all our national resources, by a rigid policy of thrift, Governments and people may do much to ease the burden of war in the days to come by applying available savings to investment of this character. In this way, if in no other, Canadians may feel the conscious pride that comes to every man who is "doing his bit" in this war.—Toronto Globe.

Identifying Him

Ordinary concerts have grown rather stale in Middleton, where everybody sings, or thinks he can.

So a novelty was arranged, in which each performer was to appear in a fancy dress and sing a suitable song. The first items went off very well, although when Miss Antik came on in a simple, girlish gown, and sang "For Ever and For Ever," the audience got nervous and thought she meant to do so.

Then the village crier appeared in a sailor rig and declaimed "Asleep on the Deck" in a voice high-pitched and cracked.

"Who is he?" "What character does he represent," were the questions the listeners asked one another wildly.

Then came the usual voice from the rear of the hall, saying: "Why, 'e's Sing-Bad the Sailor," — Chicago Ledger.

"Five shillings, please," said the dentist.

"But," protested the patient, "your sign reads, 'Painless extracting free,' and now you want five shillings." "Certainly," replied the dentist. "You remember that you yelled a bit, so this does not apply in your case. I do painless extracting free, just as I advertise, but yours evidently was not painless, and I am in a charge for it. Five shillings, please." — The Bits.

Without Honor

Among Nations

No Peace Agreement With Germany Worth the Paper it Would Take

The Army and Navy Gazette, the well-known service weekly, discussing peace terms, says as follows:

"Once again there are signs that Germany is preparing a peace propaganda and a select body of earnest men has been engaged to go to the country misleading the people and endeavoring to convey the impression that Germany is ready to make peace—of a kind—but that her enemies, who refuse to know when they are beaten, will not listen to the terms which Germany once more holds out. The peace which Germany wants is one of the terms of which will give her all the spoils of victory, and the peace conference which the German nation is to be invited to visualize is one of the old-fashioned kind at which the victor, in this case represented by Germany, sits at the head of a long table and does all the talking while everybody else listens obediently and signs whatever documents are put before them."

It is the old story of the peace conference, but we may assert, without much fear of contradiction, that France, Belgium, Russia, Serbia, and the Allies have formed other views. If the conference is held, Germany will be excluded, the terms will be decided in her absence and they will be announced to her for immediate acceptance. There can, we believe, be no peace which will be agreed to by those nations which have suffered most and whose voices will therefore carry most weight, which does not include the nations exclusively in terms of money often leads people very much astray. For example, I have heard it said that the more money that is spent on home production the better, because the more money is circulated the greater the prosperity. This is a profound error. What the nation needs is good labor, and services for the successful prosecution of the war. Everyone's service is wanted either directly or indirectly for this purpose, whether supplying our fighting forces or for making goods for export with which to pay for necessary imports. Expenditure on non-essentials, whether produced at home or abroad, diverts capital and labor that can ill be spared to purposes which do not help us in winning the war."

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German Trench With Fifty Beds

Tommy Atkins Thinks It a Shame to Deprive Germans of Such Luxuries

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Found Documents

A major of an English battalion, speaking to a war correspondent about the documents found among the dead and prisoners remarked: "Perhaps you've heard of those documents, or some of them, found on different prisoners, showing the despairing chit sent by German companies in the line to their distant headquarters in the rear, begging for reinforcements—Company reduced to nine men and one officer; battalion reduced to five officers and three officers, and that sort of thing. That's worth paying for, you know, and what's more, it can't possibly be but that the Germans had a whole lot of things in the rear, begging for reinforcements—Company reduced to nine men and one officer; battalion reduced to five officers and three officers, and that sort of thing. 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General Local News of The Town and District

Readers Can Make This Column
More Interesting By Informing
The Editor of Events Occur-
ing Hereabouts

Several threshing outfits got started on Monday morning, but the rain tied things up again for a few days.

The merchants are keeping their stores open these nights.

Mrs. R. Spalding of Kirriemuir spent a few days visiting Mrs. Sleightholm.

Mrs. E. W. Davis and Efford were visitors at the Castor Fair last week.

Are you going to the dance, tonight?

The regular meeting of the Ladies Aid was held at the home of Mrs. W. G. MacKenzie, on Wednesday afternoon.

Birth—On Monday Sept. 25th to Mr. and Mrs. Jack Tehanko a son.

Tom Belenia and H. E. Benell, of Provost, were visitors in town during the week.

G. Smith, teller at the local bank, has been suffering from an attack of the grippe.

Guess the "drafts" got the best of George alright.

Hugh McMoriss dropped in from Provost on Sunday, along with the other members of the Provost bank staff.

Better tell the girl to watch out for the mud-holes, Mac, the next time she is running the car. You may not find help so handy again.

Oscar Johnson is back in the burg again for a few days.

The regular meeting of the Village Council will be held on Wednesday night.

Hans Lein is visiting his son, at New Bridgen. He is locating on a homestead in that district.

John Hanson left for Montreal last week, where he is to meet his bride, on her arrival from Scotland.

Nurse Carter, of Consort, was down on a visit during the week.

Leo gave a practical demonstration of his paints, the other day, when he decorated his store windows.

Miss Mabel Myles returned to town after spending several months in the States.

Johnson Bros., of Mud Buttes are having a fine big cook car built.

All the soldiers will be returning to camp, the first of the week.

Threshing is again in full swing after being tied up by the wet spell, since the first of the week.

Chicken Pie Supper

The Ladies Aid are putting on a chicken pie supper on the 9th of October, Thanksgiving Day. A full course meal will be supplied by the ladies.

Mr. Fred Kuhnle has kindly donated about 17 fine plants which will be sold by auction, right after the supper.

The money realized from the sale of these plants will be given to the Red Cross Society.

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Robert Livingston
J. L. O. Ford
Hugh McDonald
Harvey Johnson
Thomas Martin
Harry S. Johnson
Phillip Whitney
J. Harvey
D. S. King
A. E. Walker
W. A. Spencer
S. Frazer
Hyland
Collier
George Cutts
Walter Purdy
Fred Herity
Walt Beatson
R. Clark
A. J. Comah
Alvin Shannon
R. J. Harrison
Jas. A. McCulloch
Carl Goodman
Jack McEavish
J. O. Beesley
Alex Smith
John Osborne
Claude (Pat) Stewart
Gilbert Ryckman
Wallace Willey
Ivan Fisher
J. Gillespie
Marion Smith
Jack Cross
Andy McNair
S. Robson
Bob. Edwards
George Palmer
Bill Palmer
J. S. Noad
Arlene Sinclair
A. Hennessey
F. H. Piper
Albert Deacon
J. W. Moore
J. Cresswell
Jeff. W. Kay
N. R. Rogers
Jack Thuchanko
Dave Connell
Ralph Connell
John Munson
Harold Duncan
Roy Anderson
Fred Deacon
Frank Deacon
L. C. Cunningham
Martin Plumb

If any names have been left out please notify the News.

The bridge and culverts on the trail north to Sounding Lake have been finished.

Several other improvements will be made up near the post office.

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Copper Reservoir

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Regina Range

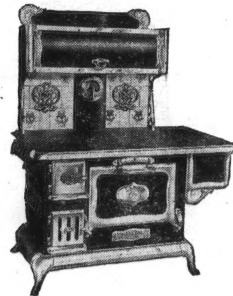
Copper Reservoir

Thermometer

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